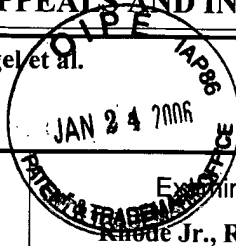


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Docket No.  
50N3787

In Re Application Of: **Brian M. Siegel et al.**



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Invention: **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PERFORMING ELECTRONIC RETAILING**

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